

B1 P1 (e) biasing means for retracting the trocar tip from said extended position to a retracted position in response to release of the releasable obturator means.

B2 6 (amended). The trocar of claim 1, wherein said trocar assembly further comprises an extension member [and said trocar assembly further comprises an extension member] and said trocar tip is mounted to said extension member.

Claim 7, line 3, after "obturator" insert --shaft--.

15 (twice amended). A trocar comprising:

(a) a cannula assembly comprising a cannula and a cannula housing defining an internal cannula passage;

(b) a trocar assembly adapted to cooperate with said cannula assembly, said trocar assembly comprising a sharp trocar tip, an obturator shaft, an outer trocar housing and an inner trocar housing, said inner trocar housing and outer trocar housing being reciprocally mounted to each other, and said trocar tip and at least a portion of said obturator shaft being configured and dimensioned for entry into said internal cannula passage;

(c) releasable obturator means associated with the obturator shaft which releasably maintains the trocar tip in a first extended position relative to said cannula;

(d) means for releasing the releasable obturator means; and

(e) biasing means for retracting the trocar tip to a second retracted position in response to release of the releasable obturator means.

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